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Sir:

We, **Randolph Michael Forlenza** and **Miguel Sang**, Applicants in the above-identified patent application, jointly invented the subject matter prior to December 30, 1999. The invention is evidenced by the attached International Business Machines Corporation invention disclosure form, date of the disclosure has been blocked out but was prior to December 30, 1999, which was the subject document used as the basis for the present pending application.

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the Application or any patent issued thereon.

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